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FORM D

UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO REGULATION D, **SECTION 4(6), AND/OR**

Washington, DC 100

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| Name of Offering (check if this is | s an amendment and name has changed, and indica | te change.) | |
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| Class A, B and C Shares | | | |
| Filing Under (Check box(es) that appl | | 06 □ Section 4(6) | □ ULOE |
| Type of Filing: | iling 🗵 Amendment | | |
| | A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA | | |
| 1. Enter the information requested ab | out the issuer | | |
| Name of Issuer (Check if this is an | amendment and name has changed, and indicate c | nange.) | |
| Samara Capital Partners Fund I Li | | . <u> </u> | COMMUNICATION RANGEMENT STATE TOTAL STATE |
| Address of Executive Offices | (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) | Telephone Numb | |
| IFS Court, Twenty Eight Cyber Cit | y, Ebene, Mauritius | (+230) 467 3000 | |
| | ons (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) | Telephone Numb | 08046957 |
| (if different from Executive Offices) | | | |
| Brief Description of Business | PROCES | SCED | |
| Private equity fund | | | |
| Type of Business Organization | ADD 4 Q | 2000 | |
| □ corporation | ☐ limited partnership, already formed — 199 | ∠ other | (please specify): |
| □ business trust | ☐ limited partnership, to be formed THOMS | TIM TIME | us Public Company |
| | FINANC | | by shares with |
| | FliaNiac | limited | life |
| Actual or Estimated Date of Incorpora | | Year ⊠ Actu | al 🗆 Estimated |
| Actual of Estimated Date of Incorpora | anization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service | | |
| abbreviation for State; CN for Canada | FN for other foreign jurisdiction) | FN | 7 |
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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Federal:

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where To File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

State:

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

ATTENTION

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

> Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA

2. Enter the information requested for the following:

- Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years;
- Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer;
- · Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and

| Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers. |
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| Check Box(es) that Apply: |
| Full Name (Last Name first, if individual) |
| Narang, Sumeet |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) |
| c/o Samara India Advisors Private Limited, 413, Maker Chambers V, Nariman Point, Mumbai, India |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: ☐ Promoter ☑ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer ☑ Director ☐ General and/or Managing Partner |
| Full Name (Last Name first, if individual) |
| Steinberg, Michael |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) |
| c/o Steinberg Asset Management, LLC, 12 East 49th Street, Suite 1202, New York, NY 10017 |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer ☒ Director ☐ General and/or Managing Partner |
| Full Name (Last Name first, if individual) |
| Lala, Couldip |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) |
| c/o International Financial Services Limited, IFS Court, TwentyEight Cybercity, Ebene, Mauritius |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer ☒ Director ☐ General and/or Managing Partner |
| Full Name (Last Name first, if individual) |
| Toorawa, Rubina |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) |
| c/o International Financial Services Limited, IFS Court, TwentyEight Cybercity, Ebene, Mauritius |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: ☐ Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner ☐ Executive Officer ☒ Director ☐ General and/or Managing Partner |
| Full Name (Last Name first, if individual) |
| Steinberg, Justin |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) |
| c/o Steinberg Asset Management, LLC, 12 East 49th Street, Suite 1202, New York, NY 10017 |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: |
| Full Name (Last Name first, if individual) |
| Samara Capital Management Limited |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) |
| of Anternational Financial Services Limited IFS Court. Twenty Eight Cybercity, Ebene, Mauritius |

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| | Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE. | | | | | | | | | | | 63 000 | 000* | |
| 2. | | | | | | | | | | \$2,000,000* | | | | |
| _ | * Subject to decrease at the discretion of the Board of Directors. | | | | | | | | Yes ⊠ | No □ | | | | |
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C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

| 1. | Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero". If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box 🖾 and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged. | | | |
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| | Type of Security | Aggregate Offering Price | An | nount Already Sold |
| | Debt | -0- | \$ | -0- |
| | Equity | -0- | S _ | 0- |
| | | | | _ |
| | Convertible Securities (including warrants) | -0- | S_ _ | -0- |
| | Partnership Interests | -0- | \$ | |
| * | Other (Class A, B and C Shares). | 300,000,000 | s_ _ | 263,000,000 |
| | Total | 300,000,000 | \$ | 263,000,000 |
| * | Includes offers and sales outside the United States. | | | |
| | Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." | | A | gregate Dollar |
| | | Number of Investors | Λģ | Amount of Purchases |
| * | Accredited Investors | 62 | \$_ _ | 263,000,000 |
| | | 0- | \$ | -0- |
| | Total (for filings under Rule 504 only) Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE | | \$ | N/A |
| , | 1 1 1 D | | | |
| 3. | If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C Question 1. | NOT AP | | ollar Amount |
| | Type of Offering | Type of Security | | Sold |
| | Rule 505 | | S _ | |
| | Regulation A | | \$ | |
| | Rule 504 | | \$_ | |
| | Total - | <u> </u> | S _ | |
| 4 | a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. | | | |
| | Transfer Agent's Fees | | <u>s</u> | |
| | Printing and Engraving Costs | | s | 170,000 |
| | Legal Fees | X X | s | 10,300 |
| | Engineering Fees | | s | |
| | Sales commission (specify finders' fees separately) | | \$ | 907.540 |
| | Other Expenses (identify) Management and administrative fees | X | 3 | <u>807,540</u> |
| | w . 1 | IΣI | \$ | 987,840 |

| b. | Enter the difference between the aggregate of and total expenses furnished in response to Pagross proceeds to the issuer." | art C — Questic | on 4.a. This dit | Terence is the "ad | ljuste | ed | \$ | 2 | 99,012 | <u>2,160</u> |
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| 5. | Indicate below the amount of the adjusted greach of the purposes shown. If the amount for the box to the left of the estimate. The to proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to | or any purpose otal of the payi | is not known, t ments listed m | furnish an estimat just equal the ad | te an | d check | | | | |
| | | | | | | Payments to Officers, Direc & Affiliates | tors | | | Payments to Others |
| * | Salaries and fees | *************************************** | | | X | s | | X | \$ | |
| | Purchase of real estate | *************************************** | •••••• | | | \$ | | □ | s | |
| | Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of | f machinery and | equipment | | | \$ | | | s | |
| | Construction or leasing of plant buildings and | d facilities | | | | s | | | s | |
| | Acquisition of other business (including the this offering that may be used in exchange another issuer pursuant to a merger) | e for the assets | or securities | of | | s | - | 0 | s | |
| | Repayment of indebtedness | | ************************* | | | s | | | s_ | |
| | Working capital | | | | | \$ | | 0 | s | |
| | Other (specify): Investments in private India | | | | X | \$ <u>299,012,1</u> | 1 <u>60</u> | | s | |
| | Column Totals | | *************************************** | | X | \$299,012,1 | 160 | | \$ | |
| | Total Payments Listed (column totals added |) | | ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | | | X | \$_ _ | 299,0 | 012,160 |
| * | The Investment Manager, an affiliate of te capital commitments of the shareholders. | he issuer, is en The amount o | titled to an an If such fee can | nual manageme not be determine | nt fe ed at | e equal to two this time. | percen | i (2% | %) of | the aggregate |
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| e i | The issuer has duly caused this notice to be sign ignature constitutes an undertaking by the issues information furnished by the issuer to any non-a | er to furnish to | the U.S. Securi | ities and Exchang | e Co | mmission, upon | d under writter | Rule 1 req | e 505. Juest c | , the following of its staff, the |
| l | Issuer (Print or Type) | Signature | (il | <u> </u> | Da | | | | | |
| | Samara Capital Partners Fund I Limited | , | MY | | | April 2008 | | | | |
| | Name of Signer (Print or Type) | Title of Signer (| | | | | | | | |
| | Rubina Toorawa Director of Samara Capital Partners Fund I Limited | | | | | | | | | |

C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

ATTENTION
Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)

| E. STATE SIGNATURE | |
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| Is any party described in 17 GFR 262 presently subject to any of the disqualification provisions of such rule? * | ————————————————————————————————————— |

See-Appendix, Column 5, for state response.

- 2. The undersigned issuer-hereby undertakes to furnish to the state administrators of any state in which this notice is filed, a notice on Form D (17 CFR 239.500) at such-times as required by state law.*
- 3. The undersigned issuer-hereby-undertakes to furnish-to the state administrators, upon written request, information-furnished by the issuer to offerees.*
- 4. The undersigned-issuer represents-that the-issuer is-familiar-with the conditions that must be satisfied to-be entitled to the Uniform-Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) of the state in which this notice is filed and understands that the issuer claiming the availability of this exemption has the burden of establishing that these conditions have been satisfied.*
- *Items 1, 2, 3 and 4 above have been deleted pursuant to the National Securities Market Improvement Act of 1996.

The issuer has read this notification and knows the contents to be true and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

| Issuer (Print or Type) Samara Capital Partners Fund 1 Limited | Signature | Date 3 April 2008 | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Name of Signer (Print or Type) | Title of Signer (Print or Type) | Title of Signer (Print or Type) | | | | | | |
| Rubina Toorawa | Director of Samara Capital P | Director of Samara Capital Partners Fund I Limited | | | | | | |

Print the name and title of the signing representative under his signature for the state portion of this form. One copy of every notice on Form D must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

